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## In the claims:

- 1. (Currently Amended). A cemetery flower holder for insertion into a cemetery vase comprising a shaft and multiple elongated straight vertically deformable extensions integrally joined to said shaft and extending outwardly from said shaft and being disposed substantially 90 degrees thereto, with said extensions adapted to deform by contact abutting with the inner surface of said vase by means of the length of said extensions being greater than the distance between said shaft and the inner surface of said flower holder vase, said extensions being respectively horizontally and vertically spaced, a base shaft and an upper shaft with a disc disposed therebetween, and a foam insert substantially enveloping said upper shaft.
  - 2. (Cancelled).
- 3. (Previously Presented). A cemetery flower holder according to claim 1 wherein the end of said upper shaft remote from said disc is enlarged.
- 4. (Previously Presented). A cemetery flower holder according to claim 1 wherein said disc comprises an upper surface and wherein at least one prong extends upwardly from said upper surface.
  - (Cancelled).
  - 6. (Cancelled).
  - 7. (Cancelled).
  - 8. (Cancelled).
- 9. (Currently Amended). A cemetery flower holder and a vase comprising a shaft and multiple elongated vertically deformable straight extensions integrally joined to said shaft and extending outwardly from said shaft substantially 90 degrees thereto with the ends thereof in abutment with the inner surface of said vase such that said extensions are deformed by means of the length of said extensions being greater than the distance between said shaft and the inner surface of said-flower holdervase, said shaft comprising a base shaft and an upper shaft with a disc disposed therebetween, said disc comprising an upper surface, and at least one prong extending upwardly from said upper surface.